

Fun Page

How much did you learn?

The answers to all these questions can be found in the newsletter...see if you can remember!

1. How many years did it take the spacecraft 'Rosetta' to reach comet 67P/Churyumov-Gerasimenko?
2. Name an animal affected by contagious yawning?
3. Which is the biggest crocodile species?
4. Harvest moons occur during the spring equinox. True or false?
5. What type of 'tiger' came into the Editor's home this summer?
6. To which family does the broad bean belong?
7. What two animals are on the bookmarks on page 14?
8. How old is the oldest surviving sea-going boat?
9. Where does Capt. John O'Sullivan live?
10. How much brighter does a full moon appear when it is a supermoon?
11. What covers the salmon in the Bord Bia recipe?
12. Are sea anemones related to jellyfish?
13. What is the second last item on the scavenger hunt?
14. Which animals are being tracked by satellite imagery?
15. Crocodiles never eat meat. True or false?
16. How many weeks does Capt. John O'Sullivan spend at sea at any one time?
17. What part of the sea anemone's body is used to catch food?
18. Which university studied the gestures of chimpanzees?

Answers: (1) 10 years; (2) Wolves or monkeys; (3) Saltwater Crocodiles; (4) False; (5) They occur during the autumn equinox; (6) The Pea Family; (7) A shark and pig; (8) 3,500 years old; (9) Sherkin Island; (10) 30% bigger; (11) Puff Pastries; (12) Yes; (13) A pile of leaves; (14) Polar Bears; (15) False Family; (16) Eight weeks; (17) Its tentacle; (18) St Andrews University, Scotland.

What a Picture!

Have fun with your friends making up a title for this picture of three gannets.



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Nature Jokes



Who invented underground tunnels?
A Mole

How does a leopard change its spots?
When it gets tired of one spot it just moves to another.



What do you get if you cross an elephant and a kangaroo?
Big holes all over Australia!

What rabbit can jump higher than a tree?

Any rabbit can jump higher than a tree. Trees don't jump.



What has no fingers, but many rings?
A tree!



What animal grows down?
A duck.



What happened to the cat that swallowed a ball of wool?
She had mittens!



Spot the five differences!

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